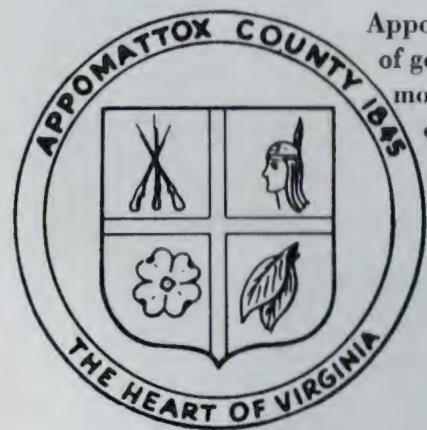


Old Appomattox Court House



Appomattox County's court house today is located in a complex of government buildings on Court Street. The county seat was moved to its current location in 1892, after fire destroyed the original court house, which dated to 1848. A replica of the original court house is located three miles northeast of the

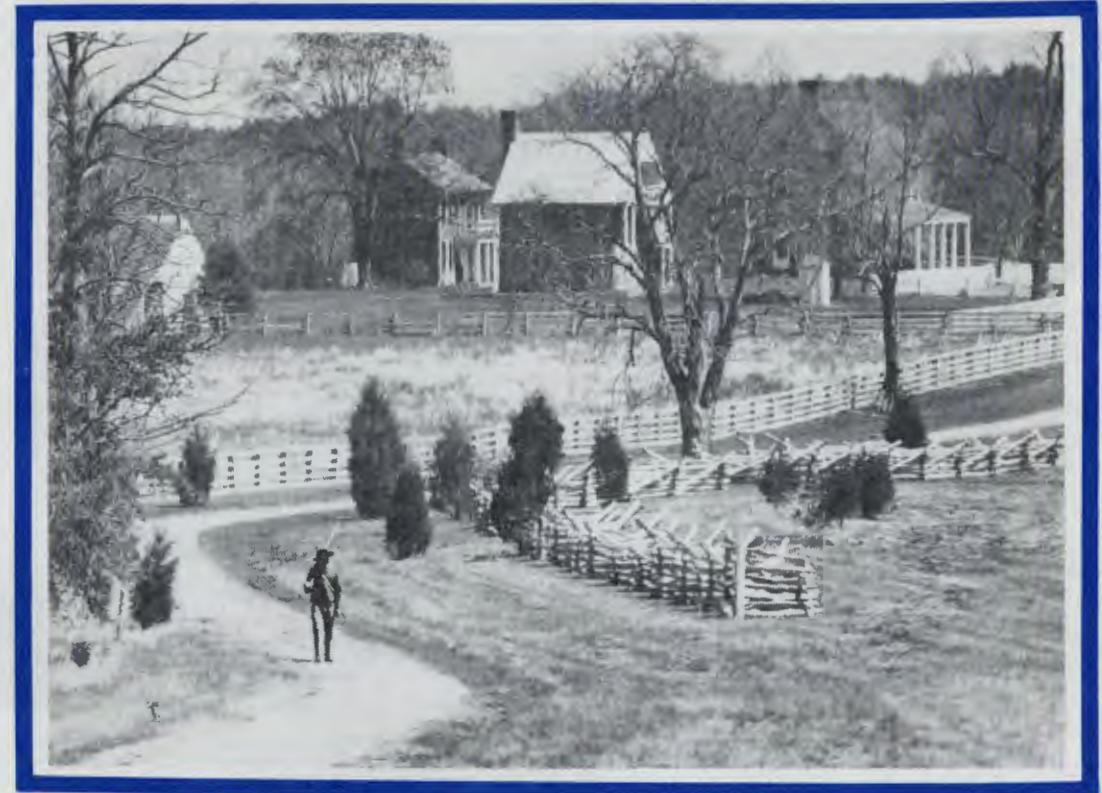
Town of Appomattox in Appomattox Court House National Historical Park. The park commemorates Lee's surrender to Grant in 1865, the event which effectively ended the Civil War.

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An Introduction To **Appomattox County**

Officials and civic-minded citizens of Appomattox County and the towns of Appomattox and Pamplin City accept their obligations to foster and maintain a business climate in which industry can prosper and expand.

Appomattox County is an ideal place for raising a family. Its residents take pride in the traditional values of our county. Ours is the most historically significant county in the Central Virginia region, with the Appomattox Court House National Park visited by hundreds of thousands of people each year. Although we take pride in our heritage, we do not dwell in the past. We are looking towards the future.

Appomattox County lies within a day's drive of nearly half the U.S. population and has easy access to these markets through the area's excellent highway, rail and air network.

Within our 342 square miles, we have a strong labor force combined with abundant natural resources. More than half the county is timberland, and we're bordered on two sides by the James River. To help you get the most from what we have to offer, economic research engineering expertise is available through our Region 2000 affiliation.

A labor force with a high degree of trainability, a stable political climate, and the cooperative attitude of both the state and local governments are but a few of the many attractive features of the Appomattox County area.

It's easy to understand why industry does business here. Companies like Founders Furniture and Courtland Manufacturing are already etching their names in our history.

We invite you to take advantage of these facilities and to explore the economics of doing business in Appomattox County. Let us take you on a personal tour of this area and work in complete confidence with you in evaluating the potential of Appromattox County in relation to your particular needs.

For further information contact:

Appomattox County Chamber of Commerce
P.O. Box 704
Appomattox, VA 24522

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About Appomattox County

LOCATION/HISTORY

Located at the exact center of the state, Appomattox County, Virginia was the scene of the General Robert E. Lee's surrender that ended the War Between The States. The county was formed in 1845 and named for an Indian tribe.

Nearby cities include Lynchburg (18 miles), Roanoke (79 miles) and Richmond (90 miles).

TOPOGRAPHY

Appomattox County consists of 219,520 acres (343 square miles) of rolling hills in the Piedmont Plateau physiographic region.

Elevations range from 460 feet to 1,151 feet above the sea level. Drainage is provided by the James River, Appomattox River, Roanoke River Drainage Area, and Bent and Wreck Island creeks.

FINANCE

There are four banks in Appomattox County.

The Appomattox Industrial Development Authority offers low-interest, tax exempt industrial revenue bonds.

LOCAL ECONOMY

Appomattox County has a comprehensive retail and service sector with total taxable retail sales in 1995 exceeding \$54 million.

Manufacturing activity is concentrated in textiles, forestry and furniture. The county has a civilian labor force of 6112 with an unemployment rate of 6.9 percent (November, 1994). Agricultural production is concentrated in dairy products and beef cattle.

POPULATION

There were 12,644 residents reported for Appomattox County in the 1994 census, compared to 12,298 in 1991. Projected population in 2000 is 13,200. The Town of Appomattox had 1,707 residents in the 1994 census; Pamplin City had 208.

TRANSPORTATION

Road - Access to points north, south, east and west is provided by U.S. 460 and state primary routes 24 and 26.

Rail - Norfolk Southern railway operates freight lines in the county. Connections are available in Lynchburg with Norfolk Southern, Chesapeake & Ohio and Amtrak which provide freight, passenger and piggyback service.

Air - The Lynchburg Municipal Airport (25 miles) charters regular flights by U.S. Air and United Express; air freight service is available there and at the Falwell Airport in Lynchburg (19 miles). The Lynchburg Municipal Airport has a runway of 5,800 feet. Fuel and instrument ratings are available.

Bus - Bus service in Appomattox is provided by Greyhound.

Motor Freight Carriers - There are some 40 trucking firms serving the area.

NATURAL RESOURCES

There are 155,561 acres of commercial forest land in Appomattox County with loblolly, shortleaf and Virginia pines, elmash, cottonwood, oak-pine, and oak-hickory the dominant forest types. Non-commercial forest use includes the Appomattox - Buckingham State Forest with approximately 9,000 acres.

Mineral deposits include sand, gravel, clay, marble, limestone, and quartzite.

Ground water is available at an average depth of 150 feet with an average production of 8 gallons per minute.

CLIMATE

A generally moderate climate prevails. Annual temperature averages 56.7 degrees Fahrenheit with January temperatures averaging 40 degrees and July temperatures 77 degrees.

Annual average rainfall is 44 inches; annual average snowfall is 16.9 inches. Prevailing winds are from the south to southwest.

UTILITIES

Electricity - Supplied and distributed by Virginia Power, Southside Electric Cooperative and Central Virginia Electric Cooperative.

Natural Gas - Columbia Gas holds the franchise for distributing gas in the county.

Water - The Town of Appomattox maintains a public water system consisting of five drilled wells. Average daily use is 220,000 gallons; maximum daily capacity is 460,800 gallons. The Town of Pamplin provides a public water system consisting of three wells. Average daily use is 22,000 gallons. Storage capacity is 75,000 gallons.

Sewerage - The Town of Appomattox operates a sewerage system with a treatment capacity of 224,800 gallons per day. Actual usage is currently 130,000 gallons daily.

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SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL

Appomattox County operates a public landfill which accepts non-hazardous residential and commercial waste.

COMMUNICATIONS

Telephone

Supplied by GTE Telephone Company of Virginia.

Newspapers

The Times-Virginian, published weekly; a morning daily paper from Lynchburg, The News And Advance; and a tri-weekly from Farmville, The Farmville Herald, is also circulated in this area.

Radio

Two local radio stations, WTTX .107.1 FM, 1280 AM.

Television

One local television station. Channel 33AD-UHF. All three major networks are received in the area. Cable service is available in selected areas of the County with 36 channels available to subscribers.

Parcel Service

Supplied by U.P.S., Federal Express, Emory and Purolator.

EDUCATION

During the 1997-98 school year there were 2,354 students enrolled in Appomattox Public Schools including the 150 high school graduates, 69% of whom plan to continue their education. The teacher-pupil ratio is 21:1. Higher education is available at Central Virginia Community College (19 miles) which offers one and two year programs in liberal arts studies, business administration, engineering and vocational training.

There are five colleges within commuting distance of Appomattox: Hampden-Sydney College and Longwood College in the Farmville area and Liberty University, Lynchburg College and Randolph-Macon Women's College in Lynchburg.

GOVERNMENT

Appomattox County is governed by a five member board of supervisors headed by a chairman.

The Town of Appomattox is governed by a six-member town council headed by a mayor.

The Town of Pamplin has a six-member town council headed by a mayor, also.

The County of Appomattox and the towns of Appomattox and Pamplin have adopted a comprehensive zoning plan.

POLICE/FIRE

There are 13 police officers assigned to the county; they also service the towns of Appomattox and Pamplin.

Fire protection is efficiently provided by volunteer staffs in both Appomattox and Pamplin.

MEDICAL

A public health department offers a variety of services including a pharmacy, public health nursing, home health, family planning, environmental health and laboratory service.

There are four doctors, three dentists, two optometrist offices, three chiropractors, one veterinarian, two clinics, and a volunteer rescue squad.

Hospitals serving Appomattox residents include Lynchburg General (18 miles) with emergency services 24 hours a day, Virginia Baptist Hospital (24 miles) (both in Lynchburg) and Southside Community Hospital (30 miles) in Farmville.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Festival - The annual Historic Appomattox Railroad Festival, held the second weekend in October each year, commemorates the donation of the Norfolk & Western Depot to the Town of Appomattox. The Lions Club Beef Festival in September of each year.

Community of Candles - An annual old-fashioned celebration of Christmas which brings Appomattox County alive with traditional white lights and live greens.

Recreation - Recreational programs are offered by the county, town and private sources. Public facilities include ball fields, tennis courts and basketball courts.

Parks - include the Buckingham Appomattox State Forest (about 9,000 acres), a town ball park (six acres) and a town kiddie park (three acres).

Additional recreational opportunities are provided at Paradise Lake, Holliday Lake State Park, the Appomattox Court House National Historical Park, and a campground, hiking trails and picnic areas.

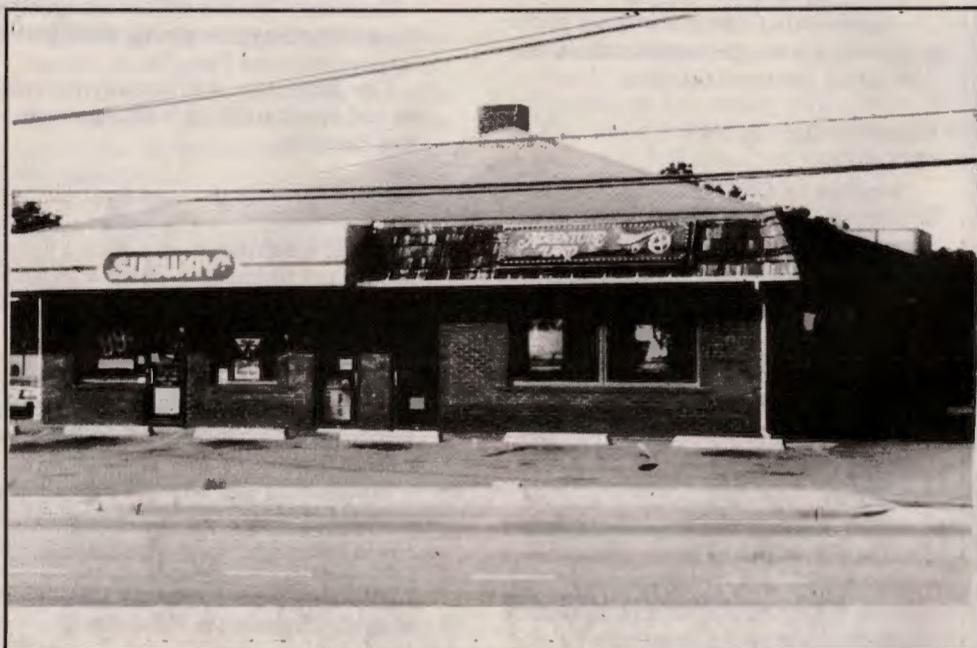
Churches - There are 40 Protestant Churches and one Catholic Church serving the town and county.

Lodging - Four motels, Babcock House - a bed and breakfast in the Town of Appomattox, Sleepy Lamb - a bed and breakfast in nearby Madisonville, and another bed and breakfast that is not complete.

Library - One public library, located on Main Street in the Historic Downtown District.

Adventureland Video

West Confederate Boulevard - Appomattox



Mailing Address: 710 West Confederate Boulevard (next to Subway)

Hours: Monday through Thursday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Goods & Services: Movies, Nintendo, 64, SNES, Play Station, Sega & VCR Rental, Blank Tapes & Other VCR Accessories. VCR Cleaning.

Management: Jack & Sheila Ford - Owners

Personnel: Mary Barker, Fay Sams, & Virginia Kress.

Profile

Adventureland Video opened for business on February 28, 1985. To date, serving over 4,400 members.

Hollywood has "come home!" Millions of families are enjoying the latest in theatrical entertainment, educational programs, music videos, and fitness programs in the privacy and comfort of their own homes. The VCR has created the most explosive entertainment innovation since television was introduced in the 1950s. Home video entertainment affords us the luxury of watching what we want, when we want to watch it. Today, there is a greater selection of titles available than ever before.

Motto: *"To Provide Family Entertainment To The Appomattox Community"*

Phone (804) 352-2644

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Anchor Sales, Inc.

Rt. 1, Box 711 - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 250, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Saturday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Services: We provide pressure washers and the chemicals needed to perform all industrial cleaning. We carry air compressors, waste oil heaters, and parts washers. We service what we sell.

Management: Larry Rakes, President

Personnel: Brenda Hamilton, Bookkeeper & Secretary - Robert Vest, Service Technician - Ross Reynolds, Warehouse Foreman - Lester Williams, Service Manager

Profile

At Anchor Sales, Inc. our staff is always here to supply your needs. We pride ourselves on understanding and providing the services people want when they buy a product. Anchor Sales, Inc. was started 19 years ago and we pledge to provide future growth and to continue offering a service related company to better serve you, the customer. Our new office is now located at the intersection of Rt. 630 and 460 in Evergreen - stop by and see us some time.

Motto: Line to Quality _____ **Anchor Sales, Inc.**

Phone (804) 352-8181

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Appomattox Farm & Home, Inc.

Highway 460 West - Appomattox



Hours: Office Hours 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. - Monday thru Friday, 8 to noon Saturday.

Goods & Services: John Deere & Snapper Lawn Equipment and grounds care equipment. Authorized service dealer for Briggs & Stratton. Dunlop, Jetson Tires, Small Engine Service/Parts. Farm Bureau Dealer. Safemark Tires & Batteries for car, light truck, and farm. Farm tractor tire repair service. Farm/Lawn & Garden supplies - fertilizer, lime, fencing, gates, etc. Custom hydraulic hoses made in store. Dealer for United States Cellular.

Management: Tim Tolley, president; O.H. Tolley, Jr., vice-president.

Personnel: Linda Blankenship, Bill Hodges, Steve Nash, Billy Kruschwitz.

Profile

Appomattox Farm & Home, Inc. was established in April of 1990 primarily dealing in tires and John Deere Lawn & Garden Equipment. Over the past eight years, we have grown to expand our major product lines to include Snapper Lawn & Garden Equipment, Farm Bureau-Safemark quality tires and batteries, several additional power equipment lines, full small engine service shop and parts, and wide selection of Lawn & Garden and Farm Supplies. Authorized Agent for United States Cellular and Cellular equipment and accessories. We hope to continue this growth with competitive prices, providing the friendly, efficient service that customers deserve in Appomattox and surrounding counties.

Phone (804) 352-8449

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Appomattox Ford-Mercury, Inc.

Highway 460 West - Appomattox, VA 24522



Mailing Address: P. O. Box 749, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Sales Department - Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Service, Parts & Body Shop - Monday-Friday - 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Goods & Services: Automobile Dealership, new and used cars and trucks. Complete automobile service department. Complete Body Shop and Parts Department. Rentals available also.

Management: John Minor - General Manager, Sherry Goodman - Office Manager, Pat Lair - Sales Manager, James Kennon - Used Car Manager, Sherelyn Pope - Service Manager, Earl Cowart - Parts Manager, Dennis "Tic" Giles - Body Shop Manager, Shelley Rhodes - F & I Manager, Lynn Evans - Rental Manager.

Profile

Appomattox Ford-Mercury was organized in 1988. The Showroom was remodeled in 1993. The Service Department is completely modern and up-to-date with state of the art equipment for all types of vehicles including heavy truck equipment. With our knowledgeable staff and technicians, we are proud to serve Appomattox and surrounding counties. Come see us for all your automotive needs.

Motto: "We'll Tackle Any Deal"

Phone 804- 352-8221

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Appomattox Glass & Storefront

23 Harrell Street - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P. O. Box 840, Appomattox, Va. 24522

Hours: 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday; Saturday by appointment

Goods & Services: Automotive, commercial, residential glass and shower & tub enclosures

Management: Keith Martin, Owner

Employees: Keith Martin, Bennie Martin, Ted Martin, Miranda Dunn, Chris Gilson, Jammie Rosenow, Jerry Kinne, Jay Hamrick, II, Bernard Bryant, Ben Mann, and Shannon Higgins.

Profile

Appomattox Glass & Storefront opened October 1, 1991. We offer a complete line of auto glass replacement, mirrors for home and businesses, commercial storefronts, shower & tub enclosures and sunrooms. We believe in good service. Call us at Appomattox Glass for any of your glass needs.

Phone (804) 352-7109

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Appomattox HealthCare Center

215 Evergreen Avenue - Appomattox



Some of the residents at the center are seen enjoying some of the many activities available to them.

Mailing Address: Route 5, Box 800 - Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Visiting hours from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily; Office open Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday and Sunday Closed

Goods & Services: Licensed 60 bed nursing facility that strives to provide the highest level of care possible in a clean, comfortable environment conducive to preserving the dignity and self-respect of our residents. Services include room and board, beauty/barber, dietary, laundry, rehabilitation services, activities and social services.

Management: Cynthia H. Smith, Administrator

Personnel: Licensed RN and LPN staff on duty 24 hours a day. Certified assistants to care for residents' needs.

Profile

Our facility opened April 1, 1989, with the commitment to serving Appomattox residents with the highest level of care possible. Loving care and attention make Appomattox HealthCare Center a "Home Away From Home." Our facility is owned and operated by Medical Facilities of America, a Virginia-based company dedicated to the care and protection of those requiring long-term care and rehabilitative success.

Phone (804) 352-7420
FAX (804) 352-0663

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Appomattox Home Improvement



Mailing Address: P. O. Box 52, Appomattox , Va. 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday 7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.,
Saturday 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Goods & Services: stocking dealer for vinyl siding, replacement windows, seamless gutters, storm doors, storm windows, Class A state registered general contractor, building new homes, additions, garages, pole buildings, all types of repair and remodeling, fire restoration, insurance claims.

Management: Ronnie Guill, Gerry Guill, Ron Guill, Todd Guill

Employees: 4 employees

Profile

Appomattox Home Improvement, a family owned business, established in January 1970, serving Appomattox & surrounding counties for over 25 years. We take pride in our quality work and customer satisfaction at affordable prices.

Motto: We Build Dreams

Phone (804) 352-5620

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Appomattox Lumber Company, Inc.

Route 1, Box 258-A • Route 604 - Appomattox, VA 24522



Mailing Address: Route 1, Box 258-A, Appomattox, Va. 24522

Hours: 7:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday - Thursday; 7:00 a.m. - Noon Friday.

Goods & Services: Wholesale Manufacturing - Manufacturing of grade hardwood lumber, pallet lumber, & cross ties, hardwood bark mulch and sawdust. Purchasers of standing timber, all grades of hardwood logs & veneer logs.

Management: Daniel H. Turner, II - owner

Personnel: Janet Foster, John Goin, Tim Bryant, Philip Hargis, Terry Booth, Dick Franklin, Calvin Kelso, Ben Kelso, Joe Fleshman, Don Fleshman, John Jones, Derek Collins, Wendall Williams.

Profile

Appomattox Lumber Company started business January 2, 1986. As the forest products industry has changed dramatically during the past several years, Appomattox Lumber Company has had to change also. We currently operate a state of the art hardwood sawmill that employs thin kerf sawing technology with steady production. Our hardwood lumber is shipped to a variety of markets with some products ending up overseas. We have also added secondary processing of bark for the landscape industry. We currently employ 15 local people on a full time basis and rely on a number of local businesses for support. We purchase all grades of hardwood logs on a regular basis.

Phone (804) 352-7829 FAX (804) 352-2649 EMAIL: dhturner@aez.net

Appomattox Oil Company

11 Commerce Street - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 39, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday

Goods & Services: Texaco heating oil, LP gas, industrial oil and greases, BP gasoline; diesel fuel off road and on road.

Management: C. Lewis McDearmon, Jr.

Personnel: Five full-time employees

Profile

Appomattox Oil Company has been in business for over 65 years, a dealer for Texaco products and BP Gasoline, and during this time, offering service and delivery to approximately six counties. An honest and reliable firm offering the finest in service and products, Appomattox Oil Company offers automatic delivery, with radio dispatch equipment.

Phone 804- 352-5757

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HARDWARE

Help Is Just Around The Corner™

Corner Main & Church Streets - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 310, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday
7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Saturday

Goods & Services: Lawn & Garden Supplies, Seeds, Plumbing, Electrical, Paint, Housewares, Glass & Screen Repair, Hunting & Fishing Licenses, Automotive, Kerosene Stove Repair, Lawn Mower Repair, Keys Cut

Management: Mark Malkiewicz, Owner

Employees: Linda Harvey, Russell McFadden, Bill Hengeli, Betty Hengeli, Pete McCormick

Profile

Appomattox Hardware was established in 1910. It is the oldest existing hardware store in Appomattox County and one of the oldest in the state. It has always been our goal to provide quality products at a competitive price, with friendly helpful service. Our friendly sales staff is always available with helpful advice for any of those do-it-yourself projects. If we don't have an item you need from our large inventory, we can generally get it for you in a week or less.

Motto: "Help is just around the corner"

Phone 804- 352-2699

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Babcock Manor

"Home Away From Home"

Country Club Road, St. Rt. 691,
Approximately one mile from the Town of Appomattox



Mailing Address: Rt. 5 Box 60, Appomattox, Virginia 24522

Hours: 9:00 a.m. until 8 p.m.

Services: Assisted living with loving care in an attractive family oriented environment - 24 hours daily.

Services include: room and board, laundry, beautician, barber, transportation, special diets, activities, and social services. Becky Babcock Rosser, a licensed R.N., oversees special needs for the residents daily.

Profile

Owned and operated by Webb Babcock with the assistance of his daughter and Manager, Pat Babcock House.

Since opening the thirty-three bed licensed facility in 1978, there have been few vacancies. Our staff is dedicated to the care and protection of all our residents. Our residents needs **ALWAYS** come first.

Phone (804) 352-8686

BackStreet Antiques

Corner of Atwood & Church Streets - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P. O. Box 566

Hours: • Monday through Friday 9:30 - 4:30 • Saturday 9:30 to 4:00

Goods and Services: Antique furniture, glassware and collectibles. We also conduct Estate Tag Sales

Owner: Barbara Caldwell

Profile

BackStreet Antiques was established on March 1, 1990 and is located in the old Lee Theater Building on Church Street. We buy from local estates, auctions, and estate sales in North Carolina and Virginia. We also conduct Estate Sales for customers. Barbara has always owned and had an interest in antiques and began this business as a hobby. It quickly became full time and she is always glad to show and discuss antiques with her customers. BackStreet Antiques, she says, is a "fun job."

Phone (804) 352-0550

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Bass & Milton Construction Co., Inc.

212 Confederate Boulevard - Appomattox, Virginia



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 356 - Appomattox, Virginia 24522

Hours: 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday

Goods & Services: Custom built homes and custom built cabinets

Owner: Ken Milton

Personnel: 10 full-time employees

Profile

Our company was started in 1979 by Dick Bass and Ken Milton. In 1991, Dick retired and Ken bought his share of the business. For 19 years we have enjoyed being one of the top home builders in Appomattox and surrounding counties. We strive to keep quality in the construction of our homes and leaving each job with a satisfied customer. We are looking forward to meeting the home building needs here in the future.

Phone (804) 352-7065

Betty Brite Cleaners

460 West - History Junction Shopping Center - Appomattox



Frances Lewis, Eric Moore and Kendall Moore

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 299F, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m., Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Goods & Services: Dry cleaning, rugs, suede, leather and furs, alterations, stain removal.

Management: Kendall Moore, Owner

Personnel: Kendall Moore and Frances Lewis.

Profile

We have been in the cleaning business for 33 years on Old Forest Road in Lynchburg and opened our second Betty Brite Cleaners June 1990 in the History Junction Shopping Center. We are proud of the full service we offer, whether it's dry cleaning, laundry, alterations or repairs. We will see that your clothing gets expert care in record time. Call 804-352-0658.

Motto: "Pleasing You Please Us"

Telephone 804-352-0658
Lynchburg 385-7706

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Blue Ridge Stone Corp.

Mt. Athos Plant - Route 609, Concord, VA



Mailing Address: Route 2, Box 134, Concord, VA 24538-9423

Goods & Services: Production and sale of crushed stone.

Personnel: Elisha Hall, plant superintendent; Jack McCarthy, sales representative; Linda Correia and Michele Hamilton, administrative assistants.

Profile

Boxley, known as Blue Ridge Stone Corporation, has been involved in the construction industry for over a century. We supply aggregate to various areas of the construction industry such as road work, concrete, block, paving, landscaping, commercial, residential, driveways, etc.

We look forward to growing with Appomattox and the surrounding counties by providing the very best product and service to you, our customers.

1-800-926-9539
and
804-845-4587

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C. H. White Construction Co., Inc.

Highway 24 East - Appomattox



Herbert Totty, Myrtle White, & Cory Osborne

Mailing Address: Route 4, Box 70, Appomattox, Va. 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday 8 a.m. to noon

Goods & Services: We sell Toro Wheel Horse Riders and Walk Behinds, Homelite saws and Ariens lawn mowers and tillers. Also Homelite string trimmers, SACHS Dolmar chain saws. We repair all makes and models, lawnmowers and chain saws. We carry a line of parts for MTD products and have parts for Murray products.

Management: Steven & Timothy Drinkard owners; Herbert W. Totty, Manager

Personnel: Myrtle White, Herbert W. Totty, and Cory Osborne

Profile

This business was established in March 1983.

"We will continue to serve our customers with the finest service available. Our prices are competitive and the personal service we give is superior."

Motto: "We Service To Please"

Phone (804) 352-8818

Member
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Cardinal Chevrolet, Inc.

310 Moses Street - Appomattox, VA 24522



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 518, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Sales Department, Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (winter hours)
Summer Hours 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. - Saturday 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Service & Parts Departments - Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Goods & Services: Automobile dealership, new and used cars and trucks. Complete automobile service department. Complete parts department. Complete short-term and long-term leasing.

Management: Bill Burke, President; Van Burke, Vice-President; Harry Ranson, Business Manager; Bryan Tuck, Office Manager; Earl Martin, Parts Manager; Dan Weesner, Service Manager.

Personnel: 21 employees

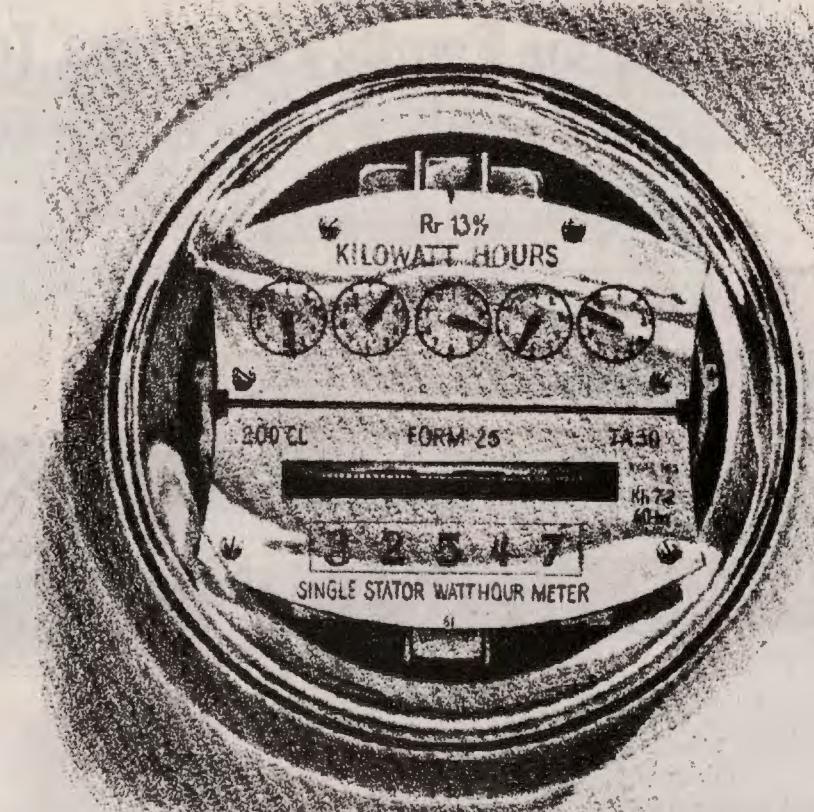
Profile

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103 Jones Street - Appomattox, Va. 24522



Hours: • 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon & 2:00 - 6:30 Monday - Friday • 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon Saturday

Management: Kenneth A. Powell, M.D.; John A. Hoffman, M.D.; Ronna Kim Wright, M.D.;

Employees: Cindy Watson, Patricia Carwile, Tammy Davis, Nancy Fuller, Natasha Nickell, Ava Ferguson, Shirley Clowdis, RN; Nancy Baldwin, LPN; Ellen McCormick, LPN; Charlene Mitchell, RN; Carolyn Nuckles, LPN; Michelle Phelps, LPN. Part-time: Sarah Summers, Magdalena Freihaut, Sheika McCoy.

Goods & Services: Comprehensive medical care for adults and children with consultive services in Lynchburg and Farmville.

Profile

Appomattox Medical Center opened in July 1959 in Dr. Stanley Boyce's old office with Drs. A.A. Fratrick and J.A. Mathews, both now retired, and their one employee Elsie Lucado. In March 1970 they moved to the Court Street and Virginia Avenue office building. In July 1977, Dr. Powell joined the group and the name was changed to Appomattox Family Practice Center, to better reflect their speciality. Dr. Hoffman joined the group August 1990, and Dr. Wright joined the group August 1993. In October 1996, the doctors moved into their present location at the corner of Jones Street and Confederate Blvd. (Route 460) and the name was changed to Central Virginia Family Practice Physicians, Inc., Appomattox Family Practice Division.

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107 Main Street - Appomattox, VA 24522



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 636, Appomattox, VA 24522-0636

Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. to 12 Noon on Saturdays

Goods & Services: Farm Supplies

Owner: Ronald M. Coleman, Sr.

Personnel: Ray Conner, Sam Dews, Robert Dews, Sonny Martin, Latrelle Eidenour, Brenda Coleman, Ron Coleman, Ronald Coleman

Profile

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Mailing Address: P.O. Box 2099, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday

Goods & Services: Home Owners, Auto, Farm Owners, Commercial, Boat, Fidelity & Surety Bonds, Mobile Homes, Title.

Personnel: Watkins M. Abbitt, Jr., Tina M. Dunnam, and Joan I. Grishaw.

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Dogwood Street - Appomattox



Mailing Address: Route 5, Building C, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday - 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Goods & Services: Provides clean affordable housing for single or married couples with or without children, elderly, disabled, or handicapped citizens. Residency is provided from low to moderate income. The property is beautifully landscaped and has ample, lighted parking and two play areas for children. Dogwood Apartments is easily accessible to schools, churches and shopping. Water, Sewage and garbage pick-up furnished.

Management: HAI Management, Inc.

Personnel: Lisa Ellis, Site Manager; Amanda Elder, Assistant Manager

Profile

Dogwood Apartments were completed in 1983. This is a 48-unit complex with 1, 2, and 3 bedrooms.

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The Shoppes of Appomattox - Appomattox, VA 24522



Dr. Michelle Presson, Doctor of Optometry

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 340, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Exams by appointment only.

Management: Dr. Gary H. St. Clair

Personnel: Kelly Hensley, Licensed Optician; Thomasa Trent, Optometric Assistant

Goods & Services: Complete Vision And Eye Health Evaluations, Contact Lenses, Eyeglass Prescriptions Filled, Emergency Repairs and Adjustments, Glaucoma & Cataract Evaluations, Medical Treatment Of Eye Disease.

Profile

Our office opened in Appomattox in April 1991. We offer complete eye care and eye health services including vision exams and testing for glaucoma and cataracts. Our trained staff supply consultation for appropriate styling of eyewear. We have a wide selection of frames to meet any budget. We fill and service outside prescriptions and offer emergency repair services.

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Evergreen Flower Shop

Evergreen Avenue - Appomattox



Mary Frances Bryant

Mailing Address: Rt. 5 Box 582, Appomattox

Hours: 9-5 Monday thru Friday
9-1 Saturday

Goods & Services: Flowers for all occasions
Specialize in weddings
Plants, plush toys, dried & silk wreaths, balloons
Funeral designs
Flowers sent worldwide

Management: Mary Frances Bryant

Profile

Evergreen Flower Shop opened in November 1989. Mary Frances enjoys working with flowers and creating arrangements for weddings, funerals, and all occasions.

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Phone (804) 352-8769

Founders Furniture

Division of Thomasville Furniture Industries

Highway 460 - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 848, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Monday thru Friday

Goods & Services: Furniture Manufacturing - Retail bedroom furniture, Contract (Hotel-Motel) furniture, Ready To Assemble furniture (RTA).

Management: General Managers - Jim McCloskey (Retail) and Phil Miller (RTA),
Plant Manager - Richard Lewandowski, Brett Thompson, Human Resources Manager

Personnel: 1,000

Profile

The plant opened in 1974. Product line and plant equipment have advanced with technology and market demands. Carysbrook Plant in Fluvanna County began operation in early 1987 for production of RTA furniture. The Carysbrook Plant currently employs about 250 people. We continue to invest heavily in new technology in order to produce quality products at good prices which will keep us ahead of the competition. Founders Furniture is committed to our home and our community. The economic and social benefits of Central Virginia help us to make Founders Furniture your home's best value. Wal-Mart & Levitz are currently our largest customers. Retail bedroom sold under name Founders. RTA items sold under the name Creative Interiors.

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Franklin's TV & Satellite

The Shoppes Of Appomattox - Appomattox



L to R; Helen Burlingame, Roy Franklin, Betty Franklin, and Steve Franklin

Mailing Address: Route 3, Box 625, Appomattox, Va. 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.;
Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Goods & Services: Radio Shack Dealer, Zenith Dealer, PrimeStar, DSS, The Dish Network and "C" band sales, 360° Cellular Service. Repair TV, VCR, Stereos and Satellite systems

Management: Roy Franklin, owner/manager

Personnel: Roy Franklin, Betty Franklin, son Steve Franklin & Helen Burlingame

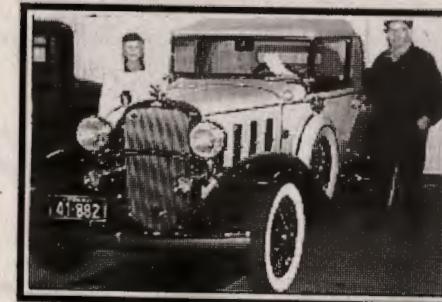
Profile

With 20 years experience in the Satellite business Roy Franklin has always been available to handle all of the customers' needs. We strive to sell better quality equipment and plan to increase our Radio Shack line. Our customers have supported us through the years and we look forward to serving Appomattox in the future.

Phone (804) 352-8779

Fred's Car Museum

Highway 24 East - Appomattox, VA 24522



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 809 - Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Sunday - seasonable hours

Goods & Services: Opening April 1, 1998. Antique Car Museum With Approximately 60 Vehicles. Gift Shop With Gifts For All Ages And Souvenirs.

Management: Fred H. Jones, Owner

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Phone (804) 352-0606

Fred Jones Well Company

Highway 24 East - Appomattox, VA 24522

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 818 - Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Goods & Services: Drilled and Bored Wells for home or industry. Red Jacket Pump installation and service.

Management: Fred H. Jones, President; Fred H. Jones, II, Vice President; Carol Harrison, Office Manager; Vivian Ramsey, Bookkeeper.

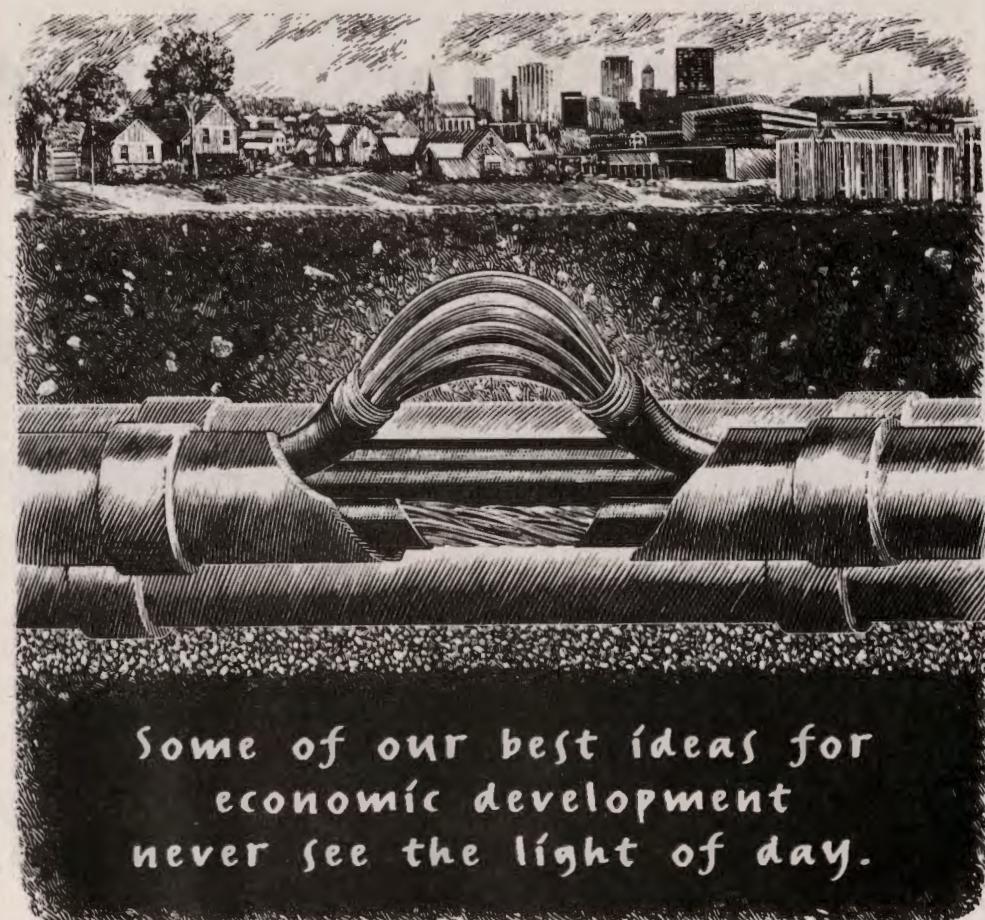
Personnel: Bernard Pillow, Leroy Kelso, Jimmy Fleshman, Billy Guthrie, Henry Davis, Rayford Clark, J.R. McFadden, Walter Kelso, Chris Ayers, Vicky McFadden, Brian Prue, Andrew Moore.

Profile

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Highway 460 - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 477, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Saturday 7 a.m. to Noon

Goods & Services: Trucking, common carrier, general commodity, I.C.C. authority into 48 states

Management: Mrs. H.H. Moore, Jr., President & Owner

Personnel: 52 full time employees.

Profile

H.H. Moore, Jr. Trucking Company, Inc. was established in 1946. Most people think of a trucking company hauling loads for long distances. H.H. Moore, Jr. Trucking Company provides that PLUS same day delivery on small shipments. Call for a quotation on whatever size shipment you may need. We have been in business for 52 years, providing the very best service in the shipping industry. Give us a call today.

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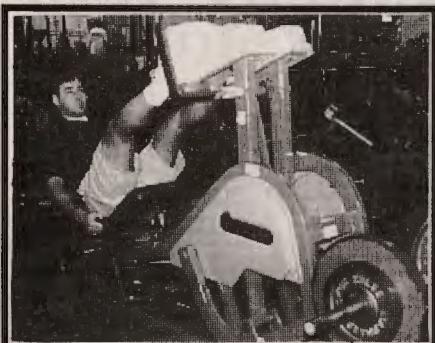
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Holiday Lake 4-H Educational Center

State Road 723 - Appomattox



Mailing Address: Route 2 Box 630, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Open Year Round

Goods & Services: Lodging and services for youth and adult groups: Lodging capacity - 260. Heated facilities off season to serve up to 120. Rachel F. Lawson Family Dining Center will serve 300. Two conference areas available. Facilities include pool, tennis/basketball court, trails, canoes, high and low ropes challenge course, picnic shelter, and athletic fields. Dining hall is handicap accessible. Call center for rates on group conferences, special luncheons, banquets and other activities.

Management: Richard Pulliam, Center Director

Personnel: Bryan Branch, Program Director; Theresa M. Abston, Natural Resource Coordinator; Preston R. Willson, Development Director; Brenda Goin, Fiscal Technician; Kenny Ames, Facility Manager; Frances Keating, Food Service Manager; and Dianne Daniels, Housekeeper.

Profile

In addition to the traditional 4-H Summer Camping program for the youth of Central Virginia, Holiday Lake 4-H Educational Center also offers Natural Resource Education programming in the spring and fall for students and teachers. Other special programs include a Family Camp for homeschooling families, a community swim program available to the general public, swimming instruction through Appomattox Recreation Department, 4-H Shooting Education Camp, and a Forestry Camp for youth ages 14-16. The facilities are available for rental year round by either youth or adult groups. Services are available for weekend retreats, week-long conferences, picnics, reunions, and other events.

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J.E. Jamerson & Sons, Inc.

402 North Church Street - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 395, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.;
Saturday 7:30 a.m. to Noon

Goods & Services: General Contractors and Retail Building Supplies

Owners: Bill Jamerson and Phillip Jamerson

Personnel: 69 employees.

Profile

The Future Is Now - To better serve our customers, we have a Home Center and Hardware area. We continue our "Quality Through Commitment" in all areas of business.

Our proud heritage provides us with the incentive to work even harder for the future. We are constantly utilizing technical advances and innovative procedures to better serve our clients. We look forward to maintaining our firm commitment to construction technology as a basis for future development and expansion.

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J.E. Sears & Co., Inc.

101 Court Street - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 578, Appomattox, Va 24522.

Hours: 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Monday thru Friday
7:30 a.m. to Noon Saturday

Goods & Services: Building materials, ready-mix concrete, residential and commercial construction.

Management: Robert A. Sears, Jr. and Etta O'Brien

Personnel: 35 full time employees

Profile

J.E. Sears Company, Inc. was established 72 years ago and is in its 3rd generation of management. We see a great potential for growth and development in our community, and we want to be a part of and share in this growth. Our goals are to give our customers the best quality materials and service possible. All of our personnel are friendly, experienced and knowledgeable in their trade and eager to help any customer. It's been this way for 72 years and we look forward to serving our customers in the future.

Motto: *"Everything To Build Anything."*

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Jamerson Brothers Trucking Co., Inc.

Highway 1014 - Appomattox



Office Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Monday thru Friday

Goods & Services: General commodities authority for 48 states. Specializing in flatbed, and van transportation. Available equipment includes 35 tractors and 85 trailers.

Management: President - G. H. Jamerson, Jr., Vice President - Dennis Jamerson, Secretary/Treasurer - Janice J. McCormick

Employees: 40 full time

Motto: "After 50 Years Of Service, We Have Nothing To Sell But Service Itself"

Profile

Jamerson Brothers Trucking is a family owned and operated business, founded in 1947 by G. Herbert Jamerson, Sr. A favorable business outlook with growth commensurate with area transportation needs.

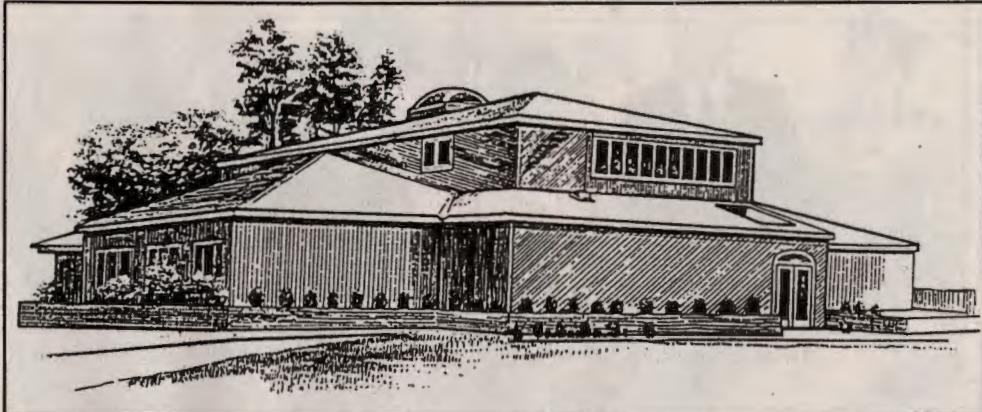
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Jeanne's Restaurant

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Jeanne Stanley and husband Harry B. Stanley opened Jeanne's Steak House on Main Street in Appomattox thirty years ago and the family business has continued since that time. They moved to their new location, Highway 460 West near Thomas Terrace, about twenty years ago. After Harry passed away about two years ago, Jeanne has kept her business going until this time. However, effective April 1st, 1998, her daughter Jan Stanley Comer and Jan's husband Tom will become owners of the business.

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Management: Kenneth E. Franklin, President.

Appomattox Office: Helen Covington, Office Manager and Associate Agent; Leslie Dixon, Administrative Assistant and Associate Agent - **Concord Office:** Helen Franklin, Administrative Assistant; Delores Cheatham, Associate Agent.

Goods & Services: Full Service Insurance Agency - Life, Auto, Mutual Funds, Money Markets, Health, Home, Business and Fire Insurance. Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, Nationwide Mutual Fire Insurance Company, Nationwide Life Insurance Company. Home Office - Columbus, Ohio.

Brief History: Affiliated with Nationwide for the past 29 years. Fourteen years as a Claims Adjuster, 29 Years as a Nationwide Agent.

Motto: "Nationwide Is On Your Side."

Profile

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Mid-Va. Small Engine and Lawn Mower Service

Highway 26, 1st drive on right - Appomattox, VA 24522



Hours: Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Goods & Services: American Yard Pro Mowers, Maxim Riders, Homeowner Riders & Commercial ZTR Mowers, Tillers, Garden Equipment, Parts, Sales and Repair Service, also Cast Aluminum - Walk Behind Mowers. Authorized Briggs & Stratton Warranty Service. Yard Mowing & Leaf Collection.

Management: Carl Miller, owner/operator

Personnel: Ray Noble

Motto: "We sell the best and service the rest."

Profile

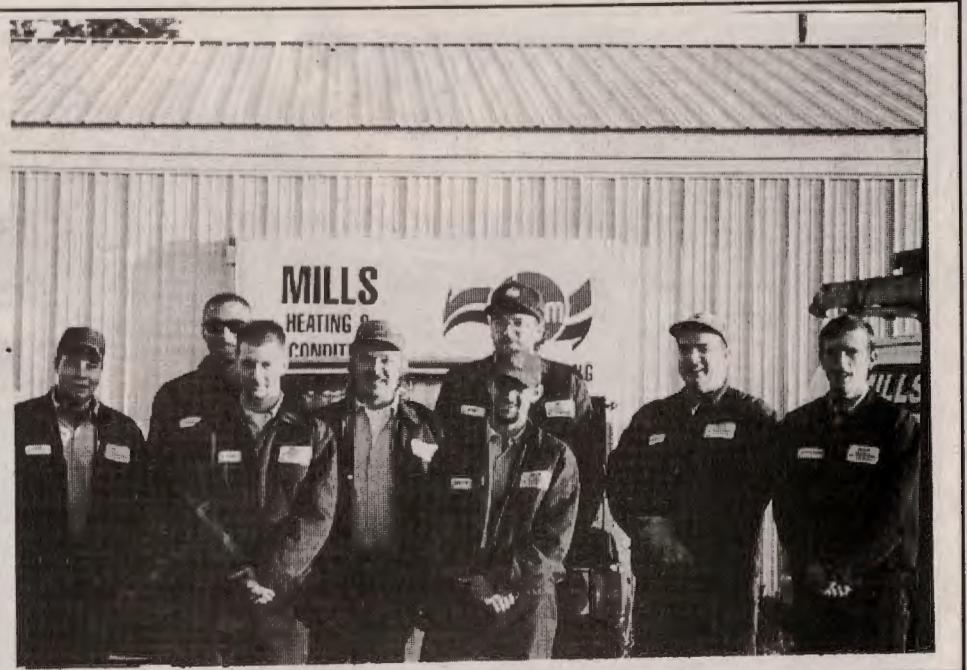
The original business was established in 1975 as White's Home and Auto. In 1985 it was changed to Mid-Va Home & Auto. In the fall of '89, we moved to a new location on Highway 26 and became Mid-Va Small Engine and Lawn Mower Service. Our location will allow us to specialize in small engines and mowers, giving our customers better service and better prices. We pick up and deliver mowers and tillers for added convenience. See us for all your sales and service needs.

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Mills Heating, Air Conditioning and Electrical, Inc.

Highway 460 West - 5 Miles From Appomattox, VA 24522



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 577 - Concord, Virginia 24538

Hours: Monday through Friday 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
(24 Hour Emergency Service)

Goods & Services: Sell, Install, Maintain, and Repair home and commercial heating, cooling, electrical and HVAC equipment. Installation of Gas Logs.

Management: Garnett A. Mills, President

Personnel: 15 employees

Profile

Garnett Mills established Mills Heating & Air Conditioning in 1985 with the goal of bringing a top quality heating and air conditioning service to the Appomattox area. This goal includes selling the most energy efficient and dependable equipment available, along with well trained State Certified Master Electricians, Master Gas Fitters and HVAC Technicians to install and repair equipment efficiently and correctly. Service is our Business.

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Pamplin Exxon Servicenter & Convenience Store

Highway 460 West - Pamplin, VA 23901



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1236 - Pamplin, VA 23901

Hours: Monday - Saturday 6 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Sunday - 12 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Goods & Services: Full service gas station, diesel, kerosene, state inspection station, tires, chrome rims, batteries & accessories, convenience items, novelties, fax available, ABC-Off

Management: Carol Richardson & Shane Richardson

Profile

Pamplin Exxon Servicenter was established in November 1972 by O. "Hunter" Tolley, Sr. and E.T. "Dick" Richardson. In 1976, O.H. Tolley's share of the business was purchased by Dick and me. Since then we have always tried to provide courteous, respectful and complete service to our customers. In 1990, we expanded by adding our convenience store and in 1996 we opened the "Country Deli." Unfortunately, due to the illness of Dick, we closed the deli in July 1997. On October 8, 1997, our family, friends and customers lost an important part of this business and of our lives with the death of Dick. We will always mourn our loss, but Shane, our son, and I will continue to be here for our customers and try our best to provide the same quality of service that Dick and I gave for 22 years.
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Phelps Garage

Confederate Boulevard - Appomattox



From their humble beginning, repairing automobiles in the shade of a big tree on the farm,

Phelps Garage has grown, now occupying the present building on Confederate Boulevard.



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 386, Appomattox

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday

Goods & Services: Oil Changes, muffler work, brake work, turn rotors, all types of maintenance and wrecker service (light, medium, heavy).

Management: Wayne Phelps and John Phelps

Employees: Mechanics and Wrecker drivers - Otha Harris, Ben Phelps, Roger Harris

Profile

After working 15 years in Lynchburg for various Pontiac dealers as mechanic and Service Manager, Everette Phelps started working on cars under a tree out on Rt. 613 at his farm. In 1961, he moved to the present location on Route 460. The following year Everette purchased the business site from Mr. & Mrs. Fitz Murphy. He enlarged the building and a line of used cars were added in 1966. His wife Audrey was bookkeeper at the business for many years. In 1982 Everette retired, selling the business to his son Wayne Phelps. Since that time, Wayne has added his wrecker service to the business and purchased the lot across the street. Both John Phelps and Ben Phelps, sons of Wayne and part of the third generation, are taking active roles in the operation of Phelps Garage.

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- Specialized treatment of diabetes
- Treatment of macular degeneration and other aging diseases of the eye
- Treatment of retinal detachments which may cause "floaters" and "flashing lights"
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Appomattox, Virginia 24522
Phone: (804) 352-0320

Progressive Therapy, Inc.

460 West - History Junction Shopping Center - Appomattox



Tim Smith, PT; Ellen Hudgins, OTR; Joey Gilmer, Rehab Assistant; Tonya Hengerer, SLP; and Sally-Anne Stewart, Office Manager - left to right.

Mailing Address: Two Locations - History Junction Shopping Center, P.O. Box 99E, Route 4, Appomattox, VA 24522 and P.O. Box 468, 1500 W. Third Street, Farmville, VA 23901

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:30 to 5:00

Management: Terry & Ellen Hudgins

Employees: Sally-Anne Stewart, Office Manager; Tim Smith, Physical Therapist; Ellen Hudgins, Occupational Therapist, Tonya Hengerer, Speech & Language Pathologist; Joey Gilmer, Rehab Assistant

Services: Certified Outpatient Rehabilitation Center specializing in the treatment of Orthopedic, Neurological, Developmental and work related injuries. We also offer Speech Therapy Services. Two convenient locations to serve you.

Profile

Progressive Therapy, Inc. of Appomattox opened September of '94. The Farmville Office opened in March of '93.

Most importantly, we put each patient first by offering only the highest quality of personal care. We are certified by the State of Virginia and accept most insurances.

Motto: *Progressive Therapy, A Part Of Your Community, A Part Of Your Life.*

804- 352-4220 - Appomattox
804-392-1596 - Farmville

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Rayford's Cafe

115 North Church Street - Appomattox



Mailing Address: Route 1, Box 49 - Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday - 6 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Thursday, Friday, Saturday - 6 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Goods & Services: Country style cooking. Full breakfast menu - Daily lunch & dinner specials including Chicken, Seafood, Steak, Pinto Beans and Cornbread. Sandwiches, Burgers, side orders. Deserts, hand dip ice cream, milk shakes.

Owners: Rayford & Betty Fleshman

Personnel: Wanda Blankenship, Dale Musick, Cherie Boyd, Loretta Boone

Profile

Rayford's Cafe opened for business March 1997 in Downtown Appomattox. Rayford enjoys cooking and people. Dine in or take out service. Private dining area available for meetings and private parties.

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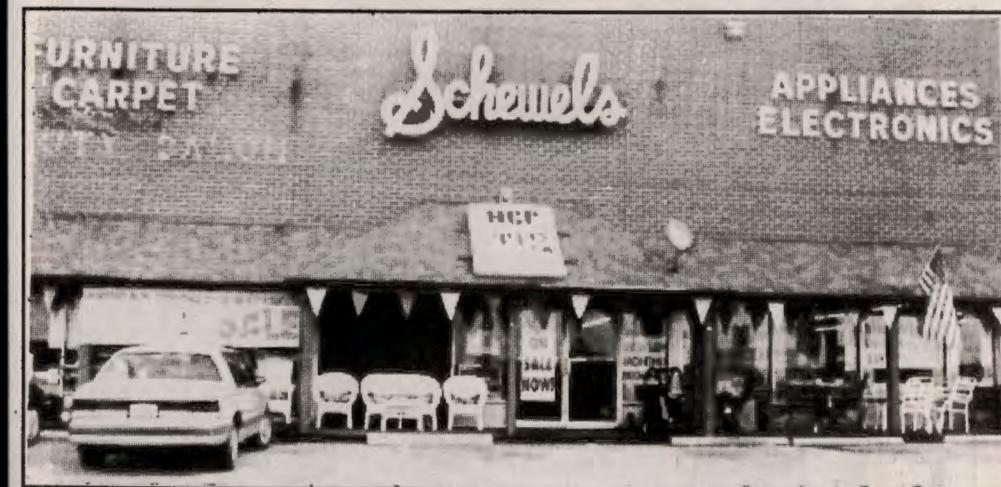
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Triangle Plaza Shopping Center - Appomattox, VA 24522



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 2040

Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday 9 to 5 - Friday 9 to 6
Closed Wednesday & Sunday

Management: Tom Cofer, Store Manager - Mitzi Letterman, Credit Manager - Christine Cyrus, Office Assistant - Jerome Cashwell, Warehouse Manager - Cindy Litchford, Inventory Control - David Harris, Sales Associate - "Buck" Ferguson, Delivery Man

Goods & Services: Complete line of home furnishings, bedding, televisions and electronics, major appliances including refrigerators, washers and dryers, ranges and microwaves, and area rugs.

Profile

Celebrating Our 101st Anniversary This Year.

Schewel Furniture is very proud to be an active part of the Appomattox business community. Since opening our store in 1983 we have experienced a fine growth in volume of sales and are very pleased at the acceptance we have in the community. Our philosophy of offering value and service to the customer is the cornerstone of our business and we try to improve on that philosophy each and every day.

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Store 804- 352-2331

Scott & Wilson Insurance Agency

Triangle Plaza - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 2168, Appomattox, VA 24522
Triangle Plaza

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Goods & Services: Independent Insurance Agency
Instant SR22s, Low monthly down payments, no one refused, same day coverage.

Management: Locally owned by Mike Scott and Gloria Scott.

Personnel: Ann Irvine, Amy Baugher, Tommy Bass, Mike Scott, Alan Tibbs

Profile

The Scott & Wilson Insurance Agency was formed March 2, 1992. With over 60 years of insurance experience, the Scott & Wilson Insurance Agency represents 15 of the finest insurance companies in the business. By representing as many companies as we do, we can shop and fit the insurance needs for anyone. All types of commercial/business insurance, personal insurance including home owners, automobile, farm, life and health, are available. In most cases, we can review your current coverage and offer you a quote in minutes. Our success is measured in your complete satisfaction. Premium financing is available. For all your insurance needs, call the Scott & Wilson Insurance Agency. 1-800-382-6732.

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State Farm Insurance Company

300 North Court Street - Appomattox



J.H. (Jim) Ford, seated; standing, l to r, Michelle F. Moore, Judy T. Brooks and Teressa Doss

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 671, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, Saturday 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Goods & Services: Sales and Service of personal and business insurance including life, health, auto and home.

Management: J.H. (Jim) Ford

Personnel: Michelle F. Moore and Judy T. Brooks, Licensed Secretaries; Teressa Doss, Secretary.

Profile

State Farm Insurance Company, J.H. Ford, agent, had its beginning in Appomattox in February of 1968. State Farm Insurance Company is the largest auto and home insurance company in the United States, offering competitive rates. Personal service is what you get when you purchase insurance from State Farm. It has always been their policy to give service after the sale. They care about you and want you to know it. Jim can handle small claims on the spot.

Motto: *"Like A Good Neighbor, State Farm Is There."*

Phone (804) 352-7916

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Super 8 Motel

U.S. 460 & State Route 24 - Appomattox



Mailing Address: Route 4, Box 100, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Open 24 Hours

Goods & Services: 46 rooms, 24 hour FAX machine service, 24-hour desk, remote control cable TV with HBO closed caption TV available, free local calls, suites available, waterbeds, non-smoking rooms, handicap rooms, VIP discounts, AMEX, VISA, MC, DC, DV, JCB cards, meeting rooms, group rates, micro/frdg. available, TDD machine available.

Management: Eastern Hospitality Management, Inc.

Personnel: Donna R. Alvis, local manager, and ten employees.

Profile

Opened March 30, 1990. A staff dedicated to providing clean, comfortable rooms at reasonable prices which promote customer satisfaction. We have 24-hour desk, free toast and coffee, free local calls, HBO, waterbeds, and meeting room, vending/ice machine, RV parking - outside lot, children 16 and under free.

Motto: "North America's Finest Economy Lodging."

Phone (804) 352-2339

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The Carpet House

Highways 15 & 460 West - Farmville, VA



Mailing Address: The Carpet House/Paint Center, Route 2, Box 350, Farmville, VA 23901

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Goods & Services: Vinyl flooring, carpet, ceramic tile, acoustic ceiling, venetian blinds, floor sanding, wallpaper, paint, wood flooring installation, and draperies.

Management: Bobby Showalter; Paint Center Manager - Harry Simpson
Employees: 32

Profile

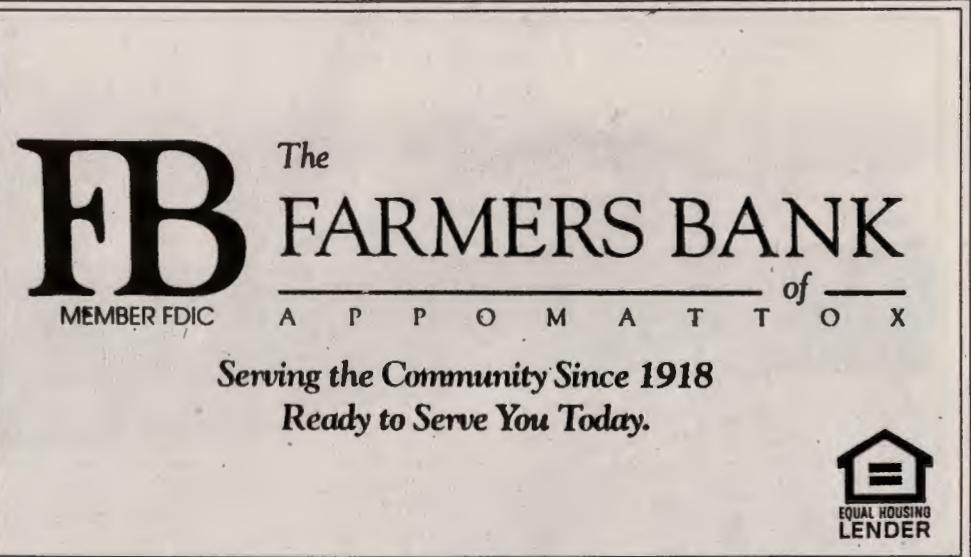
We are southside Virginia's complete home decorating center. We also have a complete paint center to better serve our customers. We have our own installers with an average employment of 18 years. Call our sales people for free estimates and decorating advice.

Motto: "Specialists In Floor Coverings"

Phone (804) 392-6000

The Farmers Bank

18 Main Street - Triangle Plaza - Appomattox
 Route 24 - Concord
 Highway 15 - Buckingham



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 216, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Lobby - Monday through Wednesday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Friday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Drive Thru Hours: Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Friday 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Goods & Services: Commercial checking accounts, personal checking accounts, Now accounts, Super Now accounts, Money Market Accounts, Automatic Teller Machines, VISA Check Cards, Travelers Checks, Passbook Savings, IRAs, Certificates of Deposits, lock box rentals, Christmas Club accounts, personal loans, auto loans, mortgage loans, agricultural loans, Member FDIC.

Management: Watkins M. Abbott, Chairman of the Board; John C. Cole, Vice Chairman of the Board; James J. Pugh, Jr., President & CEO; Floyd E. Williams, Senior Vice President & Chief Lending Officer; Anthony Pinelli, Jr., Vice President & Chief Operating Officer, John R. Caldwell, Assistant Vice President & Branch Coordinator; Phillip E. Paulette, Assistant Vice President & Concord Branch Manager; Gail W. Craft, Assistant Vice President & Triangle Branch Manager; Bruce S. Drinkard, Assistant Vice President; D. Neal Booth, Loan Officer & Buckingham Branch Manager; Dawn Tolley, Loan Officer; Thomas R. Cobb, Loan Officer; Sandra L. Clapp, Loan Review Officer; Michael Ledin, Auditor & Compliance Officer.

Personnel: 46 full-time

Profile

The Farmers Bank opened for business at 18 Main Street in the Town of Appomattox on Monday, September '16, 1918, and since that time has grown to be the largest financial institution in terms of deposits with 49 percent of the total deposits in our area. The Farmers Bank continues to help our community grow by reinvesting a large portion of deposits into the community; providing funds for businesses, farms, homes, automobiles, college education, and much more. For the past 80 years, The Farmers Bank has provided our community with full service banking with a personal touch because our customers are our friends and neighbors.

Phone (804) 352-7171
FAX (804) 352-7144

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Times-Virginian Newspaper

507 Court Street - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 2097, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday

Publisher: Womack Publications, Chatham, VA
 Charles A. Womack, Jr., Publisher

Goods & Services: Weekly newspaper and special publications

Management: Cindy Smith, General Manager

Personnel: Marvin Hamlette, Editor; Peggy Kidd, Frances Abbott, Pam Mays, Nancy Dawson, Beck Hudson.

Profile

The Times-Virginian was founded in 1892 and was purchased by Womack Publishing in 1993. Former owners of the paper include Atlantic Publications, George McMath, Lloyd Vaughan, the late Calvin H. Robinson and A.H. Clements. Our goal is to continue the best in news and advertising coverage to provide the people of Appomattox County with a product they can be proud to call their hometown paper. Community service is our trademark.

Phone 804- 352-8215

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Times-Virginian Printing Corporation

And Office Supplies
2 Main Street - Appomattox



Joe Vaughan, Joyce Vaughan, Bobby Swanberg, Franklin Vaughan

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 909, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, Saturday by appointment.

Goods & Services: Commercial Printer, all types of office forms, letterheads, envelopes, business cards, flyers, books - (soft and hard back), tickets, brochures, posters, church bulletins, church history books, personalized stationery for individuals, magnetic vehicle and mailbox signs, personalized desk and office signs, laminating, advertising specialties (caps, pencils, balloons, etc.). We specialize in wedding invitations and supplies for all your wedding needs such as napkins, matches, scrolls, programs, etc. We carry a full line of office supplies. Office furniture is available from our catalogues. If we do not have the item you need, we can get it in a few days.

Management: J. Franklin Vaughan and Joe Vaughan. Hometown owned and operated.

Personnel: Joyce Vaughan, Bobby Swanberg and Delores Hopkins

Profile

The Times-Virginian Printing Corporation was incorporated in 1975 and has steadily grown as one of the most respected commercial printers in Central Virginia area. Our typesetter uses an upgraded computer with a high quality laser printer which allows us tremendous capabilities with our graphics. Our pressman uses a perfector press which has the capabilities of printing both sides at once. Our management staff is always available to give you good advice about your printing needs.

Motto: "Our aim is to give satisfaction to our customers in our service and quality printing."

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Phone (804) 352-7191

United Country Jim Nolen Real Estate

Highway 460 Business & Oakleigh Avenue



Thomas Nolen, Ann N. Coleman, Paige Nolen and Jim Nolen

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 957, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday - Friday. Weekends call: 352-7400

Location: Hwy. 460 Business and Oakleigh Avenue

Goods & Services: Real Estate Sales, appraisals and property management

Personnel: Jim Nolen, Principle Broker and Appraiser; Paige C. Nolen, Associate Broker; Ann Coleman, Sales Agent and Appraiser; Thomas Nolen, Sales Agent

Profile

UNITED COUNTRY JIM NOLEN REAL ESTATE is a newly established local firm, family owned and staffed, involved in Real Estate Brokerage activities now working cooperatively with United Country national franchise. We work for property owners as agents to list and sell properties primarily in Appomattox and adjoining counties. We are members of the Lynchburg Association of Realtors and Multiple Listing Service and also affiliate member of The South Central Association of Realtors headquartered at Farmville.

Jim Nolen and Ann Coleman are also licensed Certified Residential Appraisers in Virginia and offer property Appraisal services to lenders, attorneys, and individuals. Other services include property management and real estate consulting.

Telephone: 804-352-7400 or 888-234-0070 - FAX: 804-352-0450

Web page: www.unitedcountry.com/appomattoxva
e mail address: ucjimnolen@aol.com

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Webb's Tire Company, Inc.

411 West Confederate Boulevard (U.S. 460) - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 2050, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday 8:00 a.m. to Noon

Goods & Services: Tire and Auto Service including new tires for autos, trucks and industrial, computerized wheel alignment, suspension service, brake service, wheel balancing, tire truing, tire repair service, oil and lubricating service, custom wheels and batteries.

Management: Douglas M. Webb, president

Personnel: Edward McKoy, Randy Franklin, Charles Booker, James Pannell, Marco Turner, Bill Booker, Mary Lucas and Shelia Webb

Profile

Webb's Tire Company, Inc. was started in 1948 by Martin L. Webb. We relocated in a new building in 1958 with additions and renovations in 1968 and 1975. We carry a full line of tires including such name brands as Goodyear, Delta, Lee and Michelin. Webb's is constantly striving to provide the best tires at the best prices possible, and also to provide professional auto service to the people of Central Virginia. We employ "A.S.E." certified mechanics.

Motto: *"The People Who Know Tires Best"*

Phone (804) 352-7180

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Wilbun's Supermarket, Inc.

720 Confederate Boulevard - Appomattox



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 357, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Saturday 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.;
Sunday 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Goods & Services: Top US Choice meats and seafoods, garden fresh produce, complete line of grocery items, frozen foods and dairy products, pastries, cakes and rolls in our bakery, hot meals to go from our deli (together with a variety of Deli meats and specialty cheeses), fresh salad bar weekdays.

Management: Gerald D. Wilbun, Owner/Manager; Marvin Owen, Manager / David Wilbun, Manager.

Personnel: 51 employees.

Profile

Wilbun's has been in the grocery business for over 60 years. The store was founded in 1935 by the late Robert Wilbun and on his retirement in 1972 was purchased by his son Gerald Wilbun. Gerald and the entire 51 employees are continually striving to improve service and products to meet the needs in the growing community. "Many changes have been made during my 36 years of full-time grocery service. We are constantly striving to keep abreast of the innovations in the food industry. My goals are to sell top products and give excellent service to all the fine folks in Appomattox and the surrounding area," says Wilbun.

Motto: *"Hometown Folks Serving Hometown Folks"*

804-352-5165

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Wilkins Myrick

Frames and Fine Art

State Police Tower Road (Rt. 613) - Appomattox



Mailing Address: Route 4, Box 209 - Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Weekdays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., evenings and weekends by appointment

Goods & Services: Custom Framing, Prints and Civil War Art

Management: Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins Dodd Myrick, Jr.

Profile

Wilkins Myrick Frames and Fine Art combine technical and creative experience to produce finished works of art that are aesthetically pleasing while preserving the integrity of the individual piece. Framing antique documents, old photos, grandmother's wedding handkerchief or a christening gown is the perfect way to preserve precious memorabilia. State of the art equipment allows Wilkins Myrick to remove wrinkles from paper work and bond deteriorating and torn art. Also available are beveled mirrors, original paintings, custom made multi-angle frames, oval and round frames and convex glass, antique maps, needlework and limited edition Civil War art by some of the leading names in military lithography.

Motto: "Trust Your Masterpiece To A Master Framer."

Phone (804) 352-7973

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William W. Dickerson, Jr. Land Surveyor

404 Court Street - Appomattox, VA



Mailing Address: P.O. Box 112, Appomattox, VA 24522

Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Goods & Services: Land surveying

Management: William W. Dickerson, Jr. - Land Surveyor

Personnel: Fleming P. Moore - Party Chief; George Welch - Draftsman; Larry Mann - Party Chief; Paul Ford - Instrument Man; and Brad Bryant - Chain Man

Profile

Providing surveying services for Appomattox and adjoining counties since 1977.

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Notes

Dear Prospective Member:

I am writing to encourage your support by joining the Appomattox County Chamber of Commerce, but first I want to familiarize you with some of the projects we are involved in to build a better community and county in which all of us can work, live and play.

- Establish and oversee the Visitors Information Center serving thousands of visitors per year
- Sponsor a Business Directory of the Chamber Members
- Sponsor seminars of interest and concern to the business community
- Serve as a central clearing house for businesses to network together
- Publish & distribute Appomattox brochures throughout the state and nation - some 70,000 per year
- Participate in regional efforts to promote Central Virginia as a travel destination, including Appomattox and its attractions
- Maintain a Chamber Office to respond to over 100 tourist and information requests per month
- Support the Crisis Line
- Member of the Virginia Travel Council
- Member of the Virginia Chamber of Commerce
- Help promote the Historic Appomattox Railroad Festival.
- Initiated the organization of the Historic Appomattox Revitalization Corporation and the Appomattox County Tourism Development Council
- Sponsorship of the Community of Candles Project with the Town Council and Board of Supervisors
- Maintain county entrance signs
- Encourage business participation in the Community of Candles by sponsoring an old-fashioned, traditional Christmas decoration contest
- Sponsor an annual Chamber membership Spring Meeting/Breakfast and a Fall Membership Dinner
- Sponsor business luncheons with a business keynote speaker
- Send newsletters to all members
- Sponsor circus, and other types of entertainment to enrich local life
- Establish a slide/photo library for use in promotion by travel writers and other requests
- Publish a local calendar of events
- Publish a local directory of attractions
- Help publish and distribute Appomattox County Profile for use in industrial or residential relocation efforts
- Update local situation and analysis together with deficiency improvement plans to improve local tourism dollars
- "Court" new potential businesses interested in our area
- Spark interest in new industry for our community

These are just a few of our endeavors to provide an atmosphere of growth for current businesses and individuals and to attract new business ventures to our historic county.

Sincerely,

David Wilbun, President